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To: [Kent D Becher](#)
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Subject: RE: Split-sampling at Arkwood
Date: 06/08/2011 03:28 PM

Kent,

Rather than dig through old storage boxes to locate outdated documents, I suggest that we draft a current SAP and QAPP for the ongoing water monitoring. Would that be acceptable?

Jean

From: Kent D Becher [mailto:kdbecher@usgs.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, June 08, 2011 12:27 PM
To: Mescher, Jean
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Subject: RE: Split-sampling at Arkwood

Thanks Jean for the information. We will not be ready for sampling by tomorrow, but we can catch up with Jim on the next round of sampling. I have asked Shawn for these documents in the past and he is having the same problems with getting copies of them since this is an old site. He wanted me to ask you if you had any copies.

Take care.

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Subject: RE: Split-sampling at Arkwood

Kent,

I think that it will be easiest to put you in direct contact with our consultant, Jim Fleur of Oxford Environmental, to coordinate collecting a split sample. Jim's contact information is listed below. Jim is planning on sampling the spring and treatment system effluent tomorrow, Thursday, June 9. The samples are analyzed for

Pentachlorophenol (PCP) using EPA Method 8270D. The detection limit is 5.00 ug/l (ppb) and we are currently having the samples analyzed by Arkansas Analytical, Inc. located in Little Rock. I have attached a copy of the May analytical report for your reference. I don't have an electronic copy of the SAP or QAPP since these have not been updated for many years and are in storage. Shawn Ghose may have access to these documents.

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Feel free to contact Jim directly to coordinate sampling. Please let me know if you need anything else.

Jean

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Hi Jean,

I left you a phone a message a little while ago. Shawn Ghose (EPA Region 6 Superfund RPM) has asked me to contact you about the sampling at the Arkwood Superfund Site in Arkansas. EPA has requested to have the USGS to collect a split sample. I have a few questions for you.

1. When is the next round of sampling planned?
2. What analytical methods are being used and what are the required detection limits?
3. Can I get a copy of the most recent copy of SAP and/or QAPP for this site?

We have a hydrologist named Tim Kresse in our Little Rock, AR office who will most likely be the person from the USGS at the site for sample collection. Once we find out the sampling schedule, we can get Tim in contact with your folks out in the field.

It is best to get a hold of me from this e-mail address or my cell phone number which is listed below.

I hope all is well in Wisconsin.

Thanks.

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